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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Yutaka Sato et al.  
Serial No. : 09/800,056  
Filed : March 5, 2001  
For : CONNECTOR, MULTI-CHANNEL AUDIO SYSTEM  
ELECTRONIC APPARATUS, AND CABLE FOR CONNECTION  
Group A.U. : 2833  
Date : November 24, 2003

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

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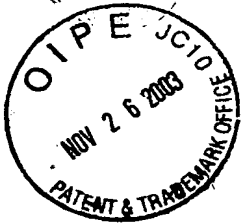
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

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Sir:

In response to the Official Action of July 22, 2003,  
Applicant respectfully requests that the above-identified  
application be amended as follows.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of  
claims that begins on page 2 of this Amendment.

The Remarks portion begins on page 9 of this Amendment.

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